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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 AFTER  
SUPPLEMENTAL EXAMINER'S  
ANSWER

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Sir:

In response to the Supplemental Examiner's Answer, mailed November 25, 2008,  
Applicants have elected to reopen prosecution as provided for by 37 C.F.R. § 41.50(a)(2)(i).  
Accordingly, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins  
on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.